Mountain Weather Forecast

Lake District National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Tuesday 27 Oct 2020 until 23:59 on Wednesday 28 Oct 2020

Forecast Issued on Monday 26 Oct 2020 at 16:38

Confidence: High for spells of heavy rain on Tuesday and a brighter, showery day on Wednesday. Also high confidence for further heavy, persistent rain from Thursday onwards.

Headline for Tuesday 27 Oct 2020: Heavy rain and poor visibility. Close to gale force winds on summits.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 27 Oct 2020

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Low Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** High Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** Medium Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Mist	Cloudy	Light rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Light rain showers (night)	Light rain showers (night)
Precipitation probability							
00%	00%	10%	90%	80%	70%	40%	40%

Forecast for Tuesday 27 Oct 2020

Weather: Chilly with some clear spells through the early hours. Cloud will quickly thicken from the west around dawn, bringing spells of patchy rain or drizzle through the morning, this turning heavy for an hour or two through early to mid-afternoon. There is some uncertainty over the timing of rain clearing but a few further scattered showers are likely into the evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 60% at first, soon falling to almost no chance as rain sets in and cloud becomes extensive above 400-500m, perhaps lower around Coniston and Scafell Pike. Improving 90% by evening.

Visibility: Becoming widely limited to a handful of kilometres on lower slopes in rain and drizzle but with fog dominating on higher slopes making navigation tricky, especially with the strong winds.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	27/31 W	24/29 SW	23/28 SW	25/32 S	35/44 SE	29/36 SW	31/39 W	31/39 SW	38/47 SW
600	23/31 W	21/28 W	15/21 SW	24/32 S	32/43 SE	23/32 SW	25/36 W	26/37 SW	29/42 SW
300	9/24 W	7/21 W	3/17 SW	10/25 S	12/31 SE	6/21 SW	9/27 W	9/27 SW	10/30 SW
Valley	8/23 W	8/21 W	3/13 SW	9/22 S	12/28 SE	8/23 SW	9/25 W	10/27 SW	13/31 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	3/-4	2/-4	2/-4	3/-4	3/-4	5/-1	3/-4	2/-5	2/-5
600	5/-1	4/-1	4/-1	4/-1	5/-2	6/2	5/-0	4/-2	5/-1
300	7/5	7/4	6/5	6/3	7/3	8/7	7/5	6/4	7/4
Valley	9/7	9/7	8/8	8/6	8/6	10/8	10/8	9/7	10/7
Freezing Level*	1200m	1200m	1200m	1500m	2100m	1800m	1200m	1100m	1200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Feeling very cold in the rain and strong winds with little respite in prospect.

Forecast for Wednesday 28 Oct 2020

Weather: A day of scattered sharp showers and bright or briefly sunny spells. The odd rumble of thunder is possible too, along with hail and these showers will turn to sleet on highest ground.

Maximum wind: Southwest 30-35 gusting 45-50mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 70% but passing showers will bring cloud below summits for short periods.

Visibility: Very good outside of showers, but perhaps down to a kilometre or two within these.

Temperature: **Valleys:** 7-8C rising 10C.
At 800m: 2C.
Freezing level: Just above summits.

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Ground Conditions Supplement
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